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Rick Falconer Seed Advisory Board Meeting Salinas

(This Meeting is Open to the General Public)

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**Notice Date:** April 27, 2007 Salinas (831) 758-9869

To: Seed Advisory Board Members Larry Hirahara

Salinas Subject: Seed Advisory Board Meeting (831) 757-7976

Kelly Keithly (Chairman) CDFA - Plant Diagnostic Center Place:

3294 Meadowview Road

Sacramento, CA

**Meeting Time:** 8:15 a.m., Wednesday May 9, 2007

The Seed Advisory Board will be meeting next month at the CDFA Plant Diagnostics Cannon Michael Center. The purpose of this regular meeting of the Board is to present financial and Los Banos (209) 827-3000 program status reports to the Board for its review and approval. The items for the agenda

are listed below. **Gabe Patin** 

Gilroy (408) 847-3806 Introductions - roll call

**Ken Scarlett** Review/accept minutes of Nov. 15, 2006 meeting

Woodland UCD Seed Biotechnology Center Report (530) 661-6995

Seed Laboratory Report Status of seed sampling

**Ron Tingley** Meridian Status of county seed subvention contracts

(530) 696-0526 Follow-up to information requested at previous meeting(s) Summary of enforcement activities on interstate seed shipments

Bill Van Skike Out of State Travel Proposals for FY 2008-2009 Bakersfield

Fund Conditions for Seed Services and the Seed Laboratory Ag Fund (661) 399-1400

Seed Laboratory Level of Funding (Memorandum of Understanding) for FY 2008-2009

**Proposed Agenda** 

**Dennis Choate** Seed Services Proposed Budget for FY 2008-2009 Modesto Recommendation for assessment rate FY 2007-2008 (209) 549-5258

Status of Arbitration Regulations

Legislative Report

County ordinance recommendation – previously tabled. Senior Agricultural Biologist Nominating Committee for members approaching term expiration Nursery, Seed & Cotton Program

Closed Executive Session pursuant to G.C. Section 11126 (if necessary)

Reconvene of Public Meeting Other Items - Next Meeting

Closing Comments and Adjournment

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